Lawrence appointed Judges of the Orphans Court for Frederick Liber C B County.—

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Joshua Beall, Christ^r Lowndes, William I_L. Weems, David Craufurd, John Harrison, Rich^d Henderson, Thomas Gantt Jun^r Luke Marbury, Thomas Clagett, Trueman Skinner, Alexander Howard Magruder, Osborn Sprigg, Fielder Bowie, George Lee, Thomas Magill, Thomas Boyed William Lyles, William Berry, James Mullikin, James Beck, Henry Rozier, Frank Leeke, Samuel Hepburn, Abraham Boyd and John Smith Brookes appointed Justices of the Peace Joshua Beall, Christ^r Lowndes, David Craufurd Thomas Clegett, Richard Henderson, Alexander Howard Magruder and Frank Leeke appointed Judges of the Orphans Court for Prince Georges County.

The Petition of Jesse Bennett complaining that the Election of Sheriffs, for Worcester County, was not held agreeable to the Constitution, and Form of Government; having this Day been presented to the Governor and Council: It is ordered that a Copy of said Petition. and of this Order be served on John Selby son of John in the said Petition mentioned; on, or before the tenth Day of December next, and that a Hearing be had on the said Petition, by the Governor & Council, at Annapolis, on Thursday the 30th Day of December next, and that such Summons's as shall be applied for by either p.81 Party issue for Witnesses—

Commissions issued to James Clandenin appointed Capt in the room of Samuel Ashmead Grafton Preston I Lieut, James Preston 2^d Lieut, James Creton Ens-John Maccamson 1 L^t of Gabriel Vanhorns Compy Aaron Vanhorn 2d Lieut, William Maccamson Ens. William Amos Capt in the room of George Vaughan, Griffith Evans I Lt James McComas 2d Lieut-John Farmer Capt in the room of William Morgan, Ralph Smith 1 Lt, Samuel Kinley 2d Lieut, James Rancher Ens. Samuel Bailiss Capt in the room of John Patrick, Richard Ward I Lt Robert Caswell 2d Lieut, Andrew Ramsav Ens. Joseph Gibbons 1 Lt William Jones 2d Lt and Benjamin Rigdon Ens of Capt William Rigdons Compy belonging to the Deer Creek Battn Harford County and also to Cyrus Osborne Capt in the room of John Wood—John Ruff Capt in the room of Jacob Forwood— Hugh Smith Capt in the room of George Patterson-Obediah Pritchard I Lt Michael Gilbert 2d Lieut and Edward Day McComas Captain in the room of William Bradford belonging to the 23d Battalion of Militia in Harford County.

Thursday 18 November 1779

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Present as on Yesterday except Daniel Carroll Esquire.— Commission of Letter of Marque & Reprisal issued Thomas Conway Commander of the Brig Alexander 80 Tons burthen, navigated

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